# Appendix A: Survey Materials

DLNR Trail and Park User Census

DLNR High Use Trail and Park Census

Survey Procedure and Method Reference Sheet

Database Codebook



# DEPARTMENT OF LAND & NATURAL RESOURCES State of Hawai'i



### **DLNR Trail and Park User Census**

Island:	Trail:	Weather:		Refused
Date:	Time:	Observed By:		Observation #
Total # in Party: Commercial Gro Yes No	oup? IF YES, STOP! DO NOT I	NTERVIEW!!!		Other Activity:  a. Bicycling  b. Hunting  c. Fishing  d. Horseback riding  e. ATV/4-wheel driving  f. Cultural Practices
	<ul> <li>Backpack</li> <li>Water</li> <li>Food</li> <li>First Aid Kit</li> <li>Cell Phone</li> <li>Map</li> <li>Rain Gear</li> <li>Elashlight</li> </ul>	2. What was your primary r for going hiking today?  1 2 3 4	hysical e Nature l/cultural e with a fi	riend
1 2 3 4	. Trail Guidebook		5.	Is this your first time on this trail?  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ a. Yes □ □ □ □ b. No
	<ul><li>Hotel/visitor activity des</li><li>Government Office</li></ul>	k	6.	Have you hiked other Hawaii trails?  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ a. Yes □ □ □ □ b. No
1 2 3 4		-	8.	Footwear  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ a. Hiking Boots  □ □ □ □ b. Running Shoes  □ □ □ □ c. Slippers  □ □ □ □ d. Tevas/Athletic Sandals  □ □ □ □ e. Other
9. How far did 1 2 3 4	. To the end Part of the way To the attraction			

10.	Did you inform someone (not wit of your planned hike/route?	h you) 1	1. Did y		form them of	an estimated return time?
	1 2 3 4				a. Yes b. No	
		falling branches	check all		steep cliffs	□ none
		washed out trail sunburn/heat			bugs/insects other	
13.	Have you ever gotten lost while h	iking?				
14.	Did you leave the trail today?					
	1 2 3 4					
15.	Did you notice the signs on the tr	ail?				
	1 2 3 4					
16.	If yes, what information do you r  ☐ a. Name	remember?	trail		☐ g.	Hazard warning sign
	□ b. Distance □ c. Mile Markers	e. Restoration f. Clean your	Area		☐ h. ☐ i.	Directional Other
17	What level of difficulty would	18. Was the trail eas	sier or ha	rder	19 Woi	ıld you consider yourself a:
	you rate the trail? 1 2 3 4	than you though				2 3 4
	a. Difficult  limits b. Intermediate	□ □ □ □ a. □ □ □ □ b.	Easier Harder			a. Beginning b. Intermediate
	c. Easy	c.	Same			□ □ □ c. Advanced hiker
20.	Are you regularly active? (Regularly active?)	arly active = 30 minutes	or more a	day,	on at least fou	ar (4) or more days a week.)
	1 2 3 4					
21.	How many hours a week do you	exercise?				
	1 2 3 4					

22.	What other types of exercise do  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ a. Walking □ □ □ b. Jogging/Runni □ □ □ □ c. Golf □ □ □ □ d. Weightlifting	1 2 3 4		1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ i. Aerobics □ □ □ □ j. Tennis □ □ □ □ k. Surfing □ □ □ □ 1. Other
23.	Do you have children?  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ a. Yes □ □ □ □ b. No		If yes, do you hike with y 1 2 3 4  a. Yes b. No	our children?
24.	Do you smoke?         1 2 3 4         □ □ □ □ a. Yes packs         □ □ □ □ b. No	per day,years been	n smoking	
Dei	mographics			
1 2			niian/Part Hawaiian ese no ese an an/Tongan E/African American e American amese a Indian guese nanian/Chamorro d/non-Hawaiian	27. Age  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ □ a. <12 □ □ □ □ b. 12-18 □ □ □ □ c. 18-24 □ □ □ □ d. 24-34 □ □ □ □ e. 35-44 □ □ □ □ □ f. 45-54 □ □ □ □ □ g. 55-64 □ □ □ □ □ h. 65+
<b>28.</b> □	Are you a Hawaii resident? Yes: Zip Code		☐ Yes: Zip Code	
	Yes: Zip CodeNo: State/ Country		□ No: State/ Country _	
	Yes: Zip Code No: State/ Country		☐ Yes: Zip Code ☐ No: State/ Country	
29.	Occupation         1       2       3       4         □       □       □       a.       Student         □       □       □       b.       Military         □       □       □       c.       Retired         □       □       □       d.       Employeed         □       □       □       e.       Unemployeed			

_A	Additional Comments:					

## DLNR High Use Trail and Park Census

□ slippery trail



Island:	Trail:	Weather:		Refused	
Date:	Time:	Observed By:			
Total # in Party:  Commercial Group  ☐ Yes IF ☐ No	9? YES, STOP! DO NOT IN	NTERVIEW!!!			
ппппр.	Backpack Water Food First Aid Kit Cell Phone Map Rain Gear Flashlight Whistle	1. What was your primary refor going hiking today?  1 2 3 4	nysical Nature /cultural with a friend		]
1 2 3 4	Trail Guidebook Internet Hotel/visitor activity desl		1 2	3 4 □ □ c. Y □ □ d. 1  you hiked of 3 4 □ □ c. Y	me on this trail? Yes No her Hawaii trails? Yes
□ □ □ □ f. □ □ □ □ g. □ □ □ □ h. □ □ □ □ i. □ □ □ □ □ j.		ter on this trail (check all tha	41.00		none

□ other

□ sunburn/heat

30.	1 2 3 4  C C Yes  d. No	e hiking?	
	Did you leave the trail today?  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ □ c. Yes		
	☐ ☐ ☐ d. No  Did you notice the signs on the	trail?	
	1 2 3 4		
41.	If yes, what information do you  ☐ j. Name ☐ k. Distance ☐ l. Mile Markers	m. Don't leave trail n. Restoration Area o. Clean your boots	□ p. Hazard warning sign □ q. Directional □ r. Other
42.	What level of difficulty would you rate the trail?  1 2 3 4	43. Was the trail easier or harder than you thought it would be?  1 2 3 4  1 C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C	1 2 3 4
45.	Are you a Hawaii resident?		
	Yes: Zip CodeNo: State/ Country	☐ Yes: Zip Code ☐ No: State/ Count	try
<u> </u>	Yes: Zip CodeNo: State/ Country	☐ Yes: Zip Code ☐ No: State/ Count	try
<b>46.</b> 1 2 □ [		47. Ethnicity  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ □ r. Caucasian  □ □ □ □ t. Chinese  □ □ □ u. Filipino  □ □ □ v. Japanese  □ □ □ □ x. Samoan/Tongan  □ □ □ y. Black/African American  Vietnamese  □ □ □ □ bb. Asian Indian  □ □ □ □ bb. Asian Indian  □ □ □ □ □ cc. Portuguese  □ □ □ □ □ dd. Guamanian/Chamorro  □ □ □ □ □ gg. Don't know/not sure  □ □ □ □ gg. Don't know/not sure	48. Age  1 2 3 4  □ □ □ □ □ i. <12 □ □ □ □ j. 12-18 □ □ □ □ l. 24-34 □ □ □ □ □ n. 35-44 □ □ □ □ □ n. 45-54 □ □ □ □ □ □ o. 55-64 □ □ □ □ □ □ p. 65+

49.	Occupation         1       2       3       4         □       □       □       f.         □       □       □       h.         □       □       □       i.         □       □       □       j.	Student Military Retired Employeed Unemployed	
		Proceed ONLY if a Hawaii Resident.	
50.	Are you regular	arly active? (Regularly active = 30 minutes or more a day, on at least four ((4) or more days a week.	
51.		ırs a week do you exercise?	
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33.	<b>Do you smoke?</b> 1 2 3 4	Yes packs per day,years been smoking	
	d.		
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#### **Survey Procedure and Method**

- 1. If the trail is a loop trail, interview each person exiting the trail. If the trail ends at another location or if the area is a park, interview every available person.
- 2. Use one survey sheet for each group.
- 3. The survey sheet has up to 4 boxes next to each answer, to allow the recording of responses from up to 4 persons. Before beginning the survey, the interviewer must decide which person in the group will be "person 1," "person 2," etc. The interviewer must then **consistently** record the responses from each person in the group in the same box. (E.g. person 1's response always goes in the first box; person 2's response goes in the second box; . . .).
- 4. If the group has more than 4 persons, two interviewers may divide the group and record responses. If there is only one interviewer available, the interviewer should record the total number of persons in the group, but only collect responses for 4 members of the group.
- 5. If it is clear that the group is being led by a commercial tour guide, either by the size of the group or by the actions of the group leader, DO NOT APPROACH the group and attempt to interview them. Instead, note the size of the group on the survey form.
- 6. For those not part of a commercial group, approach the potential participants with a SMILE. Use the following introduction to identify yourself and what you are doing:

HELLO! MY NAME IS	

I AM FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII.

WE ARE CONDUCTING A SURVEY OF THE CHARACTERISTICS AND PERCEPTIONS OF TRAIL AND PARK USERS.

WOULD YOU CARE TO ANSWER A FEW QUESTIONS? (survey should not last more than 5-7 minutes)

- 7. When someone says that they will participate, check off (do not ask) the type of activity they are doing (hiking, biking, horseback riding, etc.). The survey is now underway.
- 8. If someone (or a group) refuses to participate, politely accept their decision. Note their refusal and the size of the group on a survey sheet.
- 9. If you have any questions or problems at any time, report immediately to your crew chief for help.
- 10. Feel free to make additional notations in the margins or on the back of the survey if a person's response does not fall neatly into one of the answer options.
- 11. After a person has completed a survey with you, THANK them for helping. If they have any questions, direct them to the crew chief.

REMEMBER TO BE FRIENDLY . . . UNDERSTANDING . . . AND HAVE FUN!!!